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Ms. Marlene Dortch Office of the Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, S.W. 12th Street Lobby - TW - A325 Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Petition for Rule Making Cove, Arkansas

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed is an original and four (4) copies of a Petition for Rule Making to add Channel 232A at Cove, Arkansas.

Respectfully submitted,

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Before the Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of)		
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Amendment of 73.202 (b))	MB Docket No	
Table of Allotments)		
FM Broadcast Stations)		
(Cove, Arkansas)		

To: John Karousos, Assistant Chief Audio Division of the Media Bureau

PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. 1.401, Charles Crawford respectfully petitions the FCC to institute a Rule Making proceeding to amend the FM Table of Allotments to add Channel 232A at Cove, Arkansas.

DISCUSSION

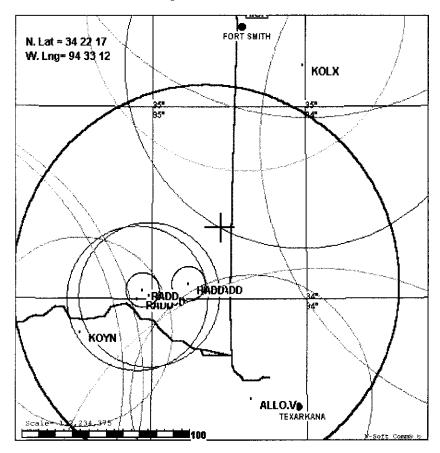
Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 232A to Cove, Arkansas as that community's first local FM service.

Cove, Arkansas is an incorporated city with a population of 383 people. Cove has its own mayor, Carolyn Nason, its own high school, post office, fire department and a number of local churches. Cove is a community that is certainly deserving of local FM service. The proposed channel 232A will provide additional diversity and an outlet for local self-expression to Cove residents and therefore is in the public interest.

Attached hereto is a channel study confirming that Channel 232A can be allocated to Cove, Arkansas, consistent with the FCC's FM separation rules. See revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures, 90 FCC 2d 88 (1992). Note: Channel 232A at Broken Bow, MM Docket No. 02-301, was dismissed on 4/17/03.

¹ Source, 1990 U.S. Census

FM PROSP $^{\text{(TM)}}$ LOCATE STUDY CH 232 A 94.3 MHz Study of KOEL Test,



Call	CH#	Type	Location		D-KM	Azi	FCC	Margin
RADD	232A	ADD	Broken Bow	OK	33.84	195.1	115.0	-81.16
KOLX	233C2	LIC N	Barling	AR	105.84	27.3	106.0	-0.16
RADD	234C3	ADD	Valliant	OK	58.05	227.7	42.0	16.05
RADD	234C3	ADD	Valliant	OK	64.61	230.6	42.0	22.61
RDEL	285A	DEL	Broken Bow	OK	37.92	210.8	10.0	27.92
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ALLO.V	231A	VAC	Hooks	TX	101.05	169.7	72.0	29.05
KKPT	231C	LIC	Little Rock	AR	194.67	75.3	165.0	29.67
KRUF	233C*	LIC	Shreveport	LA	197.28	162.9	165.0	32.28
KISR	229C*	LIC	Fort Smith	AR	128.57	6.5	95.0	33.57
KOYN	230C2	LIC	Paris	TX	103.47	234.4	55.0	48.47
RADD	286A	ADD	Wright City	OK	59.07	232.4	10.0	49.07
KTXQ-F	233C	APP N	Gainesville	TX	230.10	246.8	165.0	65.10
KAMOFM	232C2	LIC N	Rogers	AR	235.64	12.7	166.0	69.64
KSOC	233C	LIC	Gainesville	TX	239.89	248.6	165.0	74.89

